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Ref: Site Selection Survey for US EPA TIO Geostatistical Demonstration Project

Dear Remedial Project Manager

Thank you for your response regarding the following site(s):

Nutting Truck & Caster, Faribault, MN
Hedblum Industries, Oscoda, MI

Unfortunately, the quantity of sampling data does not meet minimum requirements necessary for defensible application of the geostatistical methods used in this project.

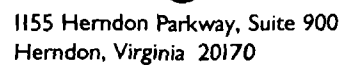
With respect to Joslyn MFG & Supply in Brooklyn Center, MN, I contacted Bill Bangsund of Barr Engineering for data. Mr. Bangsund was instructed by the client not to provide any electronic data without financial support. Unfortunately, this project does not have funds budgeted for this type of expense, and therefore, the site is no longer under consideration.

Again, your participation was greatly appreciated.

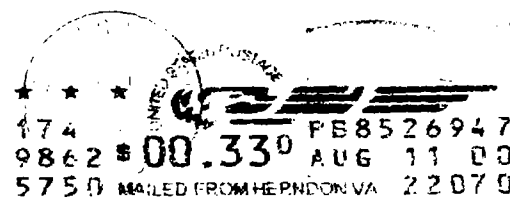
Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ted Lillys".

Ted Lillys
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